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## THREE HUNDRED ATHLETES ENTERED

All Local Colleges and Clubs Represented Besides Outside Entries.

### SECTION H FOR ROOTERS.

All is now in readiness for the starters gun at 7:30 tomorrow evening. Well over three hundred individual athletes will take part in the biggest meet ever held by George Washington University. The list of events comprises thirty-six numbers, eighteen of which are relay races.

Every effort has been made to have the teams in these races evenly matched, and good races should result in every instance. There will be five college relay races, the other thirteen including club and scholastic races and the Inter-Fraternity Race.

The most important race from the George Washington standpoint will be the two mile South Atlantic Intercollegiate Championship Relay, in which Washington and Lee is the only other team entered. Our team, which probably will be composed of Captain Connor, Herring, Maxson and Tibbetts is expected to give a good account of itself.

Other big races will be those between Cornell and Virginia and between Lehigh and Johns Hopkins both of which will be at the mile distance. Cornell defeated Virginia by inches in our meet five years ago and as the teams have not met since, Virginia is after a long delayed revenge.

The Cornell and Lehigh graduate associations are planning to see that the men representing their alma maters are given support on the night of the meet, and will both be out in force.

Tickets are being rapidly disposed of at Spalding's and White's and all indications are that a large crowd will be present. Section H will be filled with A. A. members and some real George Washington cheering will be heard.

The relay teams have been matched as follows:

### Relay Races.

Cornell vs. Virginia, one mile.  
George Washington vs. Washington & Lee, two miles.  
Lehigh vs. Johns Hopkins, one mile.  
M. A. C. vs. St. Johns College, one mile.  
M. A. C. vs. Gallaudet, 1200 yards.  
Interfraternity relay, 600 yards.  
Baltimore Central Y. M. C. A. vs. Baltimore Cross Country Club, two miles.  
Carroll Institute vs. Columbia Athletic Club, two miles.  
Baltimore Central Y. M. C. A. vs. Columbia Athletic Club, one mile.  
Eastern H. S. vs. Western H. S., one mile.  
Episcopal H. S. vs. Woodberry Forest School vs. Baltimore City College, one mile.  
Baltimore Polytechnic Institute vs. Western H. S. vs. Central H. S., junior 1200-yard race.  
Briarcliff Hall Military Academy vs. Central H. S. vs. Western H. S., junior 1200-yard race.  
Briarcliff Hall Military Academy vs. Manassas H. S. vs. Central H. S. vs. S. vs. Central Episcopal H. S., 1200 yards.  
Columbia Athletic Club vs. M. A. C. Scrubs, 1200 yards.  
Columbia Athletic Club, Second team vs. Ascension Athletic Club vs. Regent Athletic Club, 1200 yards.  
Howard Athletic Club vs. Ascension Athletic Club vs. Hartford Athletic Club, Midget race, one lap.  
Epiphany Closed Relay, 600 yards.  
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## ORCHESTRA ELECTS.

F. S. Cheney Made President and David Davis, Director.

The following officers of the University Orchestra were elected to serve through the current college year at the rehearsal held in the Assembly Hall, recently:

President, F. S. Cheney; Secretary, and Treasurer, Maurice H. Herzmark; Director and Librarian, David Davis. The Orchestra is now in full swing and is holding rehearsals every Friday night in the Assembly Hall. Owing to the midyears there will be no rehearsal either to-night or next Friday night in the Assembly Hall. Among the pieces being practiced are Loyalty, Waltzes, Enchantment Waltzes, Twilight Reverie, Lucia di Lammermoor and Avec Moi Waltzes. The officers are working to enlarge the Orchestra and urge all students who play a musical instrument to come to a rehearsal.

## GIRLS' VARSITY HAS SUCCESSFUL NORTHERN TRIP

Win From Temple University and Tome School on Foreign Floors.

### DEFEAT GUNSTON HALL.

Despite inconveniences resembling those of "one-night stands" the co-ed varsity basketball team returned from its invasion of the north with its winning streak unbroken and the scalps of Temple University of Philadelphia and Tome School for Girls of Port Deposit, Md., hanging from its belt.

The squad left Washington Thursday, February 4, and spent the night in Philadelphia as guests of the girls of Temple University. The girls were royally treated and were fully rested up for the game on the following day. G. W. U., 21; Temple University, 18.

Although playing in a gym much larger than that to which they were accustomed the Buff and Blue basket tossers displayed the "pep" and dash that has won so many games this season and were in the lead all the way. The teams were very evenly matched, however, as the score shows and the contest was hard fought every minute. It was the superior teamwork of the George Washington girls that finally brought the victory. Every member of the squad played a strong game, the guarding of Helen Hotchkiss and the goal tossing of Eleanor Reeve being especially good.

The lineup of the co-eds was as follows: Center, Luella Field; side-center, Helen Hotchkiss; forwards, Theodosia Seibold (captain), and Eleanor Reeve; guards, Mary Tyndall and Carola Craig. Substitutions: Ella Gardner for Luella Field, Field for Hotchkiss, Hotchkiss for Tyndall. Goals from floor: Seibold (5), Reeve (4). Goals from foul: Seibold (3).

G. W. U., 35; Tome, 18.

The squad did not have time to celebrate their victory in Philadelphia, but rushed for a train right after the game and arrived in Port Deposit that night after an exciting journey. Saturday afternoon they

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## COMPULSORY FEE FOR STUDENT ACTIVITIES IS PROPOSED

Class Presidents to Submit Proposition to Vote of Student Body.

### G. W. UNION ABANDONED.

At the regular February meeting of the Association of Class Presidents, held in the Medical School last Friday evening, it was voted to submit to a general ballot of the student body the proposition to institute a compulsory annual student activity fee of three dollars. At the same time it was decided to drop all plans for the organization of a George Washington Union, similar to the Unions of other universities, which had been projected at a meeting of the Association last May. The reason given for dissolving the Union was lack of support.

The action taken by the Association on the student activity fee plan was the result of a letter addressed to the Association by McClain B. Smith of the Junior Engineering Class. In his letter Mr. Smith proposed that Faculty and Board of Trustees be asked to institute a compulsory fee of three dollars to be paid by every student in the University who is registered in more than three credit hours per week, upon registration each year.

This fee is to be payable in advance to the Treasurer of the University in exactly the same manner as the present library fee. The payment of this fee will entitle each student to a subscription to the University Hatchet, a subscription to the Cherry Tree for that year, and membership in the University Athletic Association. This fee is to be apportioned among the three interests involved, as follows: University Hatchet, fifty cents; Cherry Tree, one dollar and fifty cents; Athletic Association, one dollar.

The Association of Class Presidents decided, before laying the proposition before the Board of Trustees to sound out the sentiment of the student body with regard to it. Erwin Harsch, J. C. Bradley, and Fred M. Fogle, C. C., were appointed a committee to make arrangements for and supervise the balloting. It is the intention of the committee to place printed ballots and ballotboxes in every building of the University and to allow three days in the week of February 22nd for the voting. The ballots will then be collected, counted, and the results laid before the Association of Class Presidents for further action. A majority vote in favor of the adoption of the proposed fee will undoubtedly result in the matter being brought to the attention of the Board of Trustees with an earnest request for favorable action thereon.

The advantages of the proposed system are many and great. In the first place it would place the three student activities concerned on a firm financial basis, something which has been sadly lacking in the past. All three organizations have at one period or another incurred large debts which have injured the credit of the University and have crippled student activities generally. The value of these organizations to the students and the

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## BOUND VOLUMES OF THE HATCHET

As announced at the beginning of the year, the Hatchet is taking subscriptions for bound volumes of the entire year's issue to retail for not more than two dollars and a half. This will be an excellent way to preserve a permanent record of your doings and the doings of the college in general during your college life.

The issue will be limited to sixty copies some of which are already subscribed for. Come early and avoid the rush.

## LOSE RETURN GAME TO CATHOLIC U.

Varsity Plays Below Form on Strange Floor and Loses, 38 to 16.

Catholic University's basket ball quint continued the fast pace that has been the talk of local sporting circles of late, and overwhelmed George Washington's five at Carroll Institute last night, 38 to 16. The Hatchettes were way off form, and suffered in comparison with their opponents in almost every department.

The losers fought every inch of the way, but the smooth teamwork, clever passing, and accurate goal shooting that brought them victory over the Brooklanders in a recent clash, were almost entirely absent. Catholic University, on the other hand, was well up in its game, and played with the snap and fight that has brought results in recent games. Its teamwork was all that could be expected, but it was the individual play of Keegan and White that went a long way in deciding the issue.

White led in the scoring with fourteen points as a result of three goals from the floor and eight of a possible nine from fouls. Keegan shot a half dozen goals, distributed equally in each half.

Out of justice to the losers, it might be said that they were handicapped, as are others, on playing on a strange floor. But even with this out of consideration, the play of the losing team, as a combination, was ragged. Murray and Capt. Shaver alone upheld their ends. On the offense the play was lamentably weak, this probably being due to the fact that Almon, who is usually regarded as a mainstay, was off his game.

From the outset George Washington players seemed to find extreme difficulty in locating the baskets. It was expected these defects would wear off in time. But this was not the case. Catholic University held a substantial lead practically all the way. Summary:

Geo. Wash. Position. Catholic.  
Almon.....L. F.....White  
Murray.....R. F.....Caffrey  
Johnson.....Center.....Donnelly  
Shaver (Capt.).....L. G.....Keegan  
Groesbeck.....R. G.....Hinchcliffe  
Substitutions—Cartwright for Hinchcliffe, Hinchcliffe for White, Bryant for Almon, Hamner for Shaver, Shaver for Johnson, Seiler for Groesbeck. Goals from floor—White (3), Caffrey, Donnelly (3), Keegan (6), Hinchcliffe (2), Almon (2), Murray (2), Johnson (2). Goals from fouls—White, 8 out of 9; Almon, 3 out of 9; Shaver, 1 out of 2; Murray, 0 out of 1. Referee—Mr. Wilde, of the Navy. Umpire—Mr. George Colflower, of Georgetown. Timers—Messrs. Lambert, of George Washington, and Coughlin, of Catholic University. Time of halves—20 minutes.

The list of students who will receive their degrees at this Convocation has not yet been made public but it is expected that about a dozen will graduate.

## BREAK EVEN IN TWO GAMES

Goal-Tossers Come Back Strong in Victory Over Fordham.

### LOSE TO LOYOLA.

Displaying a brand of teamwork and aggressiveness that has seldom been excelled this season, the Varsity quint romped away with a 34 to 24 victory over Fordham University on the home floor last Thursday night. The boys came back strong after being nosed out by Georgetown the night before and completely outclassed the Gotham visitors in every department of play.

"Shorty" Almon and "Tip" Murray, were big factors in the victory, each of them finding the baskets with great regularity throughout the contest. The diminutive forward was back in his usual form in shooting goals from fouls and caged eight out of thirteen free tosses. Altogether he scored almost half of the entire total of points registered by the Buff and Blue quint. Captain Shaver, despite severe injuries received in the Georgetown game played the entire game at guard and with Groesbeck kept the opposing forwards from finding the baskets.

From the sound of the whistle the home boys were working with a determination that told in the score. For the first ten minutes neither side was able to cage a goal from the floor but Almon took advantage of the numerous opportunities offered by the fouls of the New Yorkers and ran up a lead of several points. Shortly after the middle of the half the visitors weakened and the Hatchettes registered basket after basket in quick succession, the total at the end of the half being 15 to 4 in their favor.

At the start of the second half the local quint kept up its snappy play and about the middle of the half were in the lead by eighteen points. At this point Coach Schlosser removed Johnson, switched Shaver to the jumping position and put Hamner in as guard. With the game well in hand the team began to slacken up a bit while their opponents became more desperate and resorted to long shots. "Jimmy" Walsh, forward of the Fordham combination, displayed marvelous ability in caging the ball from impossible distances and angles. In a few minutes of play he materially reduced the lead, against which his team was fighting and the game was almost in doubt. His teammates, however, were unable to equal his performances and the game ended with George Washington ten points to the good.

Although Fordham was said to have a formidable quint and had defeated Georgetown decisively on their home floor earlier in the season they did not look the part of a well-balanced combination. The only man on the squad whose playing was above the ordinary was Walsh who scored five-sixths of his team's total of points. The Fordham invasion of Washington was most disastrous. Following the defeat by the Varsity the Gothamites lost to Catholic University, Gallaudet and Georgetown in two consecutive days, all by large scores.

The summary:

Fordham.	Positions.	G. W. U.
Walsh	L. F.	Almon
Rapacki	R. F.	Murray
McAvoy	Center	Johnson
Dale	L. G.	Groesbeck
Peluso	R. G.	Shaver
Substitutions—Rodin for McAvoy, May for Rapacki, Hamner for Johnson.		
Goals from floor—Walsh (8), Rapacki, Dale, Almon (4), Murray (3), Johnson (2), Groesbeck, Shaver. Goals from fouls—Walsh (8), Almon (8). Referee—Jim Colliflower. Timekeepers—Pe-		

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## DOES THIS HIT YOU?

Among the other and more important things which can be gotten out of a college course, should be a sense of personal responsibility. In the preparatory school the student is under the direct control of the instructor. If work is shirked the student is reprimanded and brought back to the mark.

In college the treatment is different. It is assumed that the student is present for the purpose of taking the greatest possible advantage of his opportunities. There is no urging of shirkers. They simply fall by the wayside after the semi-annual examinations.

The responsibility is on the individual student. He must rise or fall on his own initiative or lack of initiative. College students are men and women and not children and the college course should increase selfreliance and independence.

That many students, however, do not measure up to even a reasonable standard of responsibility is evidenced every year.

Subscription blanks for the Cherry Tree are each year circulated. There is no obligation on any one to sign such a blank unless he desires. Yet every year about fifty students who sign these blanks refuse to honor their own signed order and pay for and secure the book when it comes out.

Worse than this, however, is the attitude of the student, who signs a subscription blank to the Hatchet and has the paper mailed throughout the year, and then does not pay for it. It is nothing short of dishonest. Yet last year more than seventy-five students got their Hatchet without cost in this manner and there are now about that number unpaid on our books for this year.

Toward the Athletic Association the attitude is the same. More than a hundred have Athletic Association tickets which they have used to see basketball games and which they will use to see the meet tomorrow night, and for which they have never paid. A number of students who signed early in the year to buy the tickets have never done so.

Prof. McNemar and the students aiding him are working hard to give the University athletics. We are working hard to give you a good Hatchet. Neither of us deserves to have our efforts handicapped by irresponsibility or dishonesty on the part of students. Students should be financially

cially responsible and pay in accordance with their signed orders and promises. There is nothing more conducive of trouble than carelessness in money matters, and students should learn that such obligations must be lived up to.

It is to be hoped that we will not be driven to publish, as a last resort, a list of delinquent Athletic Association members and one of delinquent Hatchet subscribers.

## Y. W. C. A. CHAPEL SERVICES.

Girls Announce List of Leaders for the Rest of the Year.

Y. W. C. A. Chapel Service was led on February 1, by Helen Short, and on February 8, by Ruth Ayler. On the later day a solo was rendered by Helen Carn. Next Monday, Ella Gardner will lead, and Mary Tyndall will sing.

A larger attendance is desired at Chapel. This is the only official assembly of students, and we do not wish the University spirit to be measured by outsiders according to the number of attendants of the Chapel Exercises.

List of Y. W. C. A. Chapel Leaders for the Semester.

Feb. 1.—Helen Short.  
8.—Ruth Ayler.  
15.—Ella Gardner.  
Mar. 1.—Julia Ruff.  
8.—Margaret Willits.  
15.—Mildred Louden.  
22.—Rachel Winne.  
29.—Easter Service.  
Leader: Elsa Weber.  
Apr. 12.—Florence Wingate.  
19.—Joanna Best.  
26.—Anna Craton.  
May 3.—Elizabeth Richardson.  
10.—Fredericka Neumann.  
17.—Agnes Nelson.  
24.—Flora Hull.

Special music will be provided as often as possible and there will be a special speaker on the first Monday of each month.

## REGISTRATION STILL INCREASES.

The latest report from the Secretary's office shows that the increase of nearly two hundred students over the corresponding date of last year is being maintained. The following figures are those for present actual attendance and not the registration to date for the year.

	Feb. 7, 1914	Feb. 6, 1915
Graduate Studies	70	76
Columbia College	403	502
Engineering	179	187
Teachers College	115	126
Law	299	350
Medicine	162	142
Dentistry	69	96
Pharmacy	71	62
Veterinary	39	40
	1407	1581

Judge—"Have you anything to say before the court passes sentence upon you?"

Prisoner—"Well, all I got to say, is I hope yer honor'll consider the extreme youth of my lawyer, and let me off easy."

## THE BASKETBALL SEASON.

## SCORES.

Saturday, Dec. 12—G. W. U., 35; Loyola, 26; at home.  
Wednesday, Dec. 16—G. W. U., 27; Gallaudet, 23; at home.  
Saturday, Dec. 19—Navy, 42; G. W. U., 20; at Annapolis.  
Friday, Jan. 8—G. W. U., 28; Washington and Lee, 16; at Lexington.  
Saturday, Jan. 9—Virginia Military Institute, 20; G. W. U., 15; at Lexington.  
Monday, Jan. 11—Virginia, 41; G. W. U., 12; at Charlottesville.  
Saturday, Jan. 16—Callaudet, 35; G. W. U., 33; at Kendall Green.  
Wednesday, Jan. 20—G. W. U., 23; Catholic University, 20; at home.  
Wednesday, Feb. 3—G. U., 21; G. W. U., 16.  
Thursday, Feb. 4—G. W. U., 34; Fordham, 24; at home.  
Saturday, Feb. 6—Loyola, 24; G. W. U., at Baltimore.  
Wednesday, Feb. 10—Catholic U., 38; G. W. U., 16.

## TO BE PLAYED.

Wednesday, Feb. 17—Syracuse at Syracuse, N. Y.  
Thursday, Feb. 18—Franklin and Marshall at Lancaster, Pa.  
Friday, Feb. 19—Seton Hall at South Orange, N. J.  
Saturday, Feb. 20—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute at Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Monday, Feb. 22—Army at West Point, N. Y.  
Wednesday, Feb. 24—Georgetown at Georgetown.  
Friday, Feb. 26—Virginia at National Guard Armory.

## HALL SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDS THESIS

Sole Candidate for Doctors Degree at Twenty-eighth Disputation.

## THESIS ALREADY WELL KNOWN.

The twenty-eighth doctorate disputation was held by the University under the School of Graduate Studies in the Arts and Sciences assembly hall on last Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

The sole candidate for the degree of doctor of philosophy was Maurice Crowther Hall, who presented a thesis on "Nemotodes of Rodents."

This is an intensive study in parasitology—that branch of research in which the scientific man is fighting to save human lives. His thesis already is known to experts and is regarded as a masterly piece of work, according to Dr. Charles E. Munroe, dean of the school of graduate studies.

Mr. Hall received the degree of Bachelor of Science from Colorado College in 1905 and the degree of master of arts was conferred upon him in 1906 by the University of Nebraska. For a number of years he has been engaged in scientific research work.

Dr. Charles Wardell Stiles, professor of zoology, and expert in employ of the United States public health service, presided at the disputation. The thesis was presented and defended before a board of experts composed of Dr. James E. Benedict, chief of exhibits of biology at the National Museum; Dr. Nathan A. Cobb, assistant chief of the bureau of plant industry of the Department of Agriculture; and Dr. Brayton H. Ramson, chief of the division of zoology of the bureau of animal industry of the Department of Agriculture.

## VIRGINIA ATTORNEY PLEDGES SUPPORT FOR FOOTBALL TEAM

In a letter to Professor McNemar, C. Vernon Ford, Commonwealth's Attorney for Fairfax County, Virginia, pledged the sum of twenty-five dollars for the support of the football team next fall, if the students of the University manifest sufficient spirit to warrant the production of such a team by the University Athletic authorities.

This is probably the first of a number of such pledges which will be made by the members, alumni and friends of the University for the support of this live athletic interest at George Washington University.

If a hundred of such subscriptions are made by the University alumni, as was done in the palmy days of sport here, the school would have no difficulty at all in putting forth an athletic association and representative teams which would open the eyes of the local sport critics and fans and put the University back once more in its rightful place on the pinnacle of fame in the college world of this vicinity.

If you know anyone who expects to take a language course at the Berlitz School, it will be considerably to his advantage to talk to the Hatchet men.

## UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

Friday, February 12.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of University Orchestra, 2023 G Street.

Saturday, February 13.

8:00 p. m.—George Washington University Track Meet, Convention Hall, 5th and L Streets.

8:00 p. m.—Socialist Study Club, 2023 G Street: Col. H. Martin Williams on "The Abolition of Poverty."

Monday, February 15.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of the Glee and Mandolin Clubs, Arts and Sciences Building, 2023 G Street.

Tuesday, February 16.

7:45 p. m.—Interfraternity Bowling, Speedway Alleys, 14th and P Streets; Alpha Beta Phi vs. Alpha Kappa Kappa; Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Theta Delta Chi.

Wednesday, February 17.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Syracuse, at Syracuse, New York.

Thursday, February 18.

7:45 p. m.—Interfraternity Bowling, Speedway Alleys, 14th and P Streets; Sigma Chi vs. Phi Sigma Kappa; Kappa Alpha vs. Sigma Phi Epsilon.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Franklin and Marshall, Lancaster, Pa.

Friday, February 19.

8:00 p. m.—Annual Banquet of the Chemical Society, Hotel Continental.

8:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of the University Orchestra, A. &amp; S. Building, 2023 G Street.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Seton Hall, at South Orange, N. J.

Saturday, February 20.

8:00 p. m.—Basketball: Varsity vs. Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute at Brooklyn, N. Y.

## VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The February meeting of the Veterinary Medical Association was held Saturday evening, February 6.

The benefits derived from membership in the association have become so apparent that at its recent meetings many applicants have been admitted, and now practically the entire student body of the Veterinary College are active members.

Two papers were read. W. M. Lynn gave an informal talk on the difference between the standing of the profession as practiced a dozen or more years ago and its status today, pointing out in a convincing manner the increasing demand for honest and scientifically trained veterinarians to the detriment of the unscrupulous and unscientific self-styled veterinarians of whom the country saw so much not so very many years ago. His paper on "Standing Castration," following his talk, was of a more technical nature and very interesting.

A. J. Sipos presented an instructive paper on "Skin Diseases of the Dog." The delivery of talks and papers such as these is one of the features of the association's regular meetings. They are always interesting, and those dealing with technical subjects are invariably instructive.

After the report of the entertainment committee, Messrs. Wilcox, Pulsifer and Seymour, had been made and discussed, it was voted to hold the annual banquet of the association on the evening of February 19, at the Continental Hotel. Dr. Buckingham addressed the meeting in connection with this matter and offered several valuable suggestions. His remarks served to intensify the already strong belief that this year's affair will be one of the best ever. In the past the association has had as guests upon such occasions several of the officials of the Department of the profession, and anticipates the Agriculture and others prominent in honor of their presence again this year.

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## MEDICAL ANNUAL STAFF.

The name Caduceus Selected and Active Work Begun.

Work on the Caduceus, the new year book of the Medical, Dental and Nurses' Training Schools, is rapidly going on. Several contracts have already been let and all appointments to the staff are now complete. Cline-din has been engaged to do the photographic work. It is expected that the book will be issued about May 15.

At a mass meeting held at the Medical School, Jan. 26, students of the Medical, Dental and Nurses' Training Schools unanimously decided to publish a year book, owing to the untimely demise of the Cherry Tree.

"Jim" Collins, '15, Medical, was elected Editor-in-Chief and J. E. Folsom, '16, Medical was elected to the position of Business Manager. Collins has had considerable experience in the editorial line, having been associated with several of the publications at Bowdoin College, where he received his A. B. in 1907. Folsom is the proprietor of the book store in the Medical Building.

It is planned to publish a 160 page book. Contracts will be let in the near future. A subscription campaign is well under way, nearly 200 subscriptions having been secured.

Editor-in-Chief J. H. Collins, '15, Medical, and Business Manager J. Eugene Folsom have announced the following appointments to the editorial and business staff: Associate Editor from the faculty, Frank A. Hornaday, S. B., M. D.; Associate Business Manager, D. A. White, '15, Dental; Art Editors, E. A. Craig, '16, Medical and Francis G. Speidel, '17, Class Editors, Medical School, Edward A. Brown, '15; E. Clarence Rice, '16; R. Bartle Miller, '17; Margaret M. Quinlan, '15, Dental School, Richard K. Thompson, '15; Bernard M. Davis, '16; P. S. Gilliam, '17, Nurses' Training School, Elsie Meredith, '15; Sue Whelan, '16; Mattie Kissling, '17.

## A LESSON IN BANKING.

The leading negroes of a Georgia town started a bank and invited persons of their race to become customers. One day a darkey, with shoes run down at the heels, a gallus over one shoulder, and a cotton shirt, showed up at the bank.

"See here," he said, "I want mah ten dollars."

"My name's Jim Johnson, an' I wants dat ten dollars."

"You ain't got no money in dis here bank," said the cashier, after looking over the books.

"Yes, I has," insisted the visitor. "I put ten dollars in here six months ago."

"Why, man, yuh shure is foolish. De intrust done et it up long ergo."—Exchange.

Amid all the mutations of time it has never yet been discovered why a lawyer calls any legal document a brief.

The great trouble with the pug as a professional beauty is that his skin is made to fit a shorter dog.



# COMPULSORY FEE FOR STUDENT ACTIVITIES

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University generally is inestimable. The amount of advertising secured by having athletic teams in the field is far beyond what could be afforded if it had to be paid for. It is well known that many students are attracted to a university by reading its newspaper and its yearbook. With the suggested plan in operation, the management of the publications would be on a secure foundation since all the subscriptions would be paid up in advance and a large cash capital would be on hand. Much time now spent in collecting accounts could also be saved.

Another advantage of the compulsory fee is the reduction in the cost to the students of enjoyment of the activities. The Hatchet would cost only fifty cents instead of one dollar as at present. This would be possible because the cost of printing and mailing additional copies is small and would be more than covered by the increased income and because the additional circulation would increase the ability to obtain advertising. The Cherry Tree has in the past cost \$2.50 and \$3.00 because of its limited circulation. If every student purchased one the cost could be lowered to \$1.50. Thus there would be a saving on these two alone of from one dollar and fifty cents to two dollars. The Athletic Association membership at one dollar could not be expected to give all the privileges of the present two-dollar membership, including admission to all games, but enough privileges could be granted to make their value more than twice the cost. Thus it is seen that a great saving to the students would result from the adoption of the plan.

Under the new plan the University could maintain complete control over the management of these activities and insure that no debt or stain upon the fair name of the University might result from their mismanagement. The logical proceeding would be to have the business manager of each of these organizations file a suitable bond with University Treasurer and have all accounts subjected to a regular review by the Treasurer and open to his inspection at any time he may see fit. This would completely safeguard the finances of the University.

It has been argued that such a fee would be too great a drain in proportion upon a student who was registered for a small amount of work as are some in the evening classes. For this reason there was introduced the clause eliminating from the provisions of the proposition all students taking less than three hours per week. For students taking three or more credit hours per week this fee would be less than ten per cent of their total tuition and would not affect them appreciably.

Nor could it be argued that the imposition of such a fee would keep students away from George Washington. The man or woman who will let three dollars stand between him or her and a college education would hardly make a desirable student. Such schemes are in effect at present in many Universities, among them Catholic University and Georgetown University in the District of Columbia. At Catholic University a ten-dollar fee for athletics is levied against each student and at Georgetown there is a five-dollar tax for the same purpose. This plan has worked admirably in the institutions where it has been adopted and will doubtless result likewise here.

## PAN-HELLENIC FEAST

### FOR WOMAN SCHOLARS.

The Pan-Hellenic Association will give a banquet during Commencement Week in honor of the women standing highest in point of scholarship. Eight women in all, two from each sorority and two from non-sorority women, will be made the recipients of this unusual honor. No woman registered for less than twelve hours will be considered.

# GIRLS' VARSITY HAS SUCCESSFUL NORTHERN TRIP

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took the team of the Tome School for Girls into the camp by a 35 to 18 score. There was no comparison between the two teams, the Hatchettes completely outclassing their opponents and scoring almost at will.

The team returned to Washington that night tired but delighted with their trip. The showing which they made was highly creditable and the members of the squad deserve the hearty encouragement of the school. Return games on the home floor have been arranged with Temple University and Tome School and will probably result in victories.

The lineup for the Tome game: Center, Ella Gardner; side center, Luella Field; forwards, Eleanor Reeve and Theodosia Seibold; guards, Carola Craig and Helen Hotchkiss. Substitution: Mary Tyndall for Helen Hotchkiss.

G. W. U., 45; Gunston Hall, 15.

The co-eds chalked up their tenth victory of the season over Gunston Hall of this city last Monday afternoon on their opponents' floor by the score of 42 to 15. As in the Tome game the result was never in doubt, it being only a question of how large the score would be. As it was, the winners were robbed out of a number of points by the fouling of the seminary girls just as goals were being thrown.

Tomorrow the team will lineup against the team representing the Eastman School for Girls on the Epiphany gym. In their present condition the Buff and Blue sextet should have no difficulty in annexing another win.

As they played against Gunston: Center, Gardner; side center, Field; forwards, Reeve and Seibold; guards, Craig and Tyndall. Substitutions: Hotchkiss for Craig.

## THREE HUNDRED ATHLETES ENTER

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### ORDER OF EVENTS.

1. 50-yd. dash, scholastic.
2. 50-yd. dash, novice.
3. 50-yd. dash, open handicap.
4. 600-yd. midget relay.
5. 50-yd. dash, scholastic, semi-finals.
6. 50-yd. dash, novice, semi-finals.
7. 50-yd. dash, open handicap, semi-finals.
8. 600-yd. midget relay.
9. 1,200-yd. relay.
10. 1,200-yd. relay.
11. One mile, open handicap.
12. 50-yd. dash, scholastic, finals.
13. 50-yd. dash, novice, finals.
14. 50-yd. dash, open handicap, finals.
15. 1,200-yd. relay.
16. One mile relay.
17. 440-yd. open handicap.
18. 1,200-yd. relay.
19. 600-yd. run, novice.
20. Two mile relay.
21. 440-yd. S. A. Intercollegiate.
22. One mile relay.
23. Fraternity relay, 600-yd.
24. 440-yd. run, scholastic.
25. One mile collegiate relay.
26. 1,200-yd. relay.
27. 880-yd. run, open handicap.
28. 1,200-yd. relay.
29. One mile relay.
30. Two mile run, S. A. Intercollegiate.
31. One mile college relay.

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## DUM DUMS AND SHRAPNEL.

By T. S. D.

The Ballad of the Jitney.

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I'd like to drive,

And grab the coin

Far and wide.

How does my eager spirit pine  
To get that five-cent piece of thine!

A jitney bus

I'd like to drive,

And grab the coin

Far and wide.

I'd build a house

With all the gold,

And then retire

To quiet peace.

No jitney bus

I'd like to drive,

Nor grab the coin

Far and wide.

—U. of W. Daily.

Dear Editor: Does the "T. S. D." under "dum-dums and shrapnel" mean "take some dope?"

—Me-dick.

We'll tell you what it stands for when we find out what the I and the F on the standing of the big league teams in the Evening Star signifies.

Jerry Quirk sprung a daffy-dill: Bella Donna jumped into her Peruvian bark and sailed down the alimentary canal.

When he went to school we called him Jack Watskey, but now he's known as J. Leicester Watts, Esquire. How tempus 'does fugit!

But Chickens Don't Have Them.

A gentleman who had married his cook was giving a dinner, and between the courses the good lady sat with her hands spread on the table cloth.

Suddenly the buzz of conversation ceased and in the silence that followed a young man on the right of his hostess said pleasantly:

"Awful pause!"

With heightened color the one-time kitchen mechanic responded: "Yes, they may be, and yours would be like them if you had done half my work."

News note: Big Split in Liquor Ranks. Wonder if the Hatchet's dive into the liquor problem was involved. We're going to ask the ed.

### The Question Box.

1. What kind of glue should I use to make a yardstick?—A. B. C.
2. Please tell me how to tighten a hickory nut.—F. M. F.
3. Why is it I cannot get any music from my bandbox?—Mrs. I. G.
4. Can you tell me why it is that a fire breaks out at the start and goes out at the finish?—Helen M.
5. How can I sharpen a nutmeg grater?—Mrs. S.

—Wisconsin State Journal.

32. Two mile relay.
33. One mile collegiate relay.
34. Two mile relay.
35. High jump, open handicap.
36. Pole vault, open handicap.
37. Pole vault, S. A. Intercollegiate.
38. Shot-put, open handicap.

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## DEPARTMENTAL NOTES.

### COLUMBIAN COLLEGE.

All Seniors in the Arts and Science Department are urgently requested by the Year Book staff to have their pictures taken as soon as possible, as it is absolutely essential that all sittings be made by February 22. By special arrangement, the Cline Studio will remain open all day on February 22, in order to finish the work on the Arts and Science Annual.

If the Seniors will pay up before March 15, the sooner the better, the Year book will be out by the middle of May. The work on the book is progressing nicely and only disloyalty to the Class can prevent its publication.

The G. W. U. Chemical Society Banquet will be a brilliant affair if all the plans now laid go through. Mr. Wm. Pahl, the toastmaster, is working like a good fellow, delving into the ancient Archives for some new jokes, and so the students anticipate an amusing program as well as an excellent feed at the Continental Hotel on the Nineteenth.

Mr. J. Norman Taylor, '13, has been notified that he was elected recently to a Fellowship in the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Mr. Peter Donk is in New York City as a guest of the American Canners Association. He is representing the research laboratories located in this city.

### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING.

Dean Hodgkins witnessed the basketball game between the Varsity and Georgetown last Wednesday night.

The "World's Greatest Bridges" was the subject of an illustrated lecture delivered to the members of the Washington Society of Engineers, at the Cosmos Club by Henry S. Jacoby, Professor of Bridge Engineering at Cornell University, last Wednesday night. The class in advanced structures under Prof. Dunstan attended this lecture. Prof. Jacoby is the author of one of the books used by the class.

Professors Dougherty and Doten were also present. After the lecture refreshments were served.

Room 43 of Arts and Science building has been assigned to the Seniors for drawing and entrance is by key only.

The Senior Class Pin Committee is busily engaged in selecting a suitable design for their class pin, from the many designs submitted.

### TEACHERS COLLEGE.

Catherine Summy of the class of 1912 has been appointed as a substitute teacher in the James Ormond Wilson Normal School.

Elizabeth Ferguson has just received a permanent appointment in the Business High School as teacher of stenography. She graduated in the class of 1914.

### LAW SCHOOL.

Copies of the new regulations governing the law school have recently been multigraphed and distributed among the students. Among the innovations is a provision providing that no student who has been from more than ten per cent of his lectures in any subject may take the final examination in that subject. It is understood that this regulation is to be strictly enforced.

Plans are now maturing for the annual banquet of the law school which will be held in April. This banquet will be in the nature of a formal celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the founding of the school and will be unusually elaborate. It is expected that large numbers of alumni will attend and join with the undergrads in boosting the school.

### MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Dr. F. A. Hornaday has been absent from school due to a death in the family.

Eric Steele Green, '15, has been appointed student intern in the University Hospital.

Dr. Tsannyoen Philip Sze, '14, associate resident physician to the University Hospital, has given up his position.

It is desired to correct an error in the last issue of the Hatchet. C. J. Gentskow has not been appointed intern at Columbia Hospital, as stated.

### DENTAL SCHOOL.

Dr. Hunter has been appointed as Professor of Bacteriology and Pathology for the remainder of the year. His course will consist of one month's work in Bacteriology and three months in Pathology. Dr. Izenburg has been appointed as Dr. Hunter's assistant in this course.

Mr. P. E. Herring of the Junior class is expected to run on the Varsity Relay Team in the Track Meet tomorrow.

Messrs. Moore, Aspinwall and Davis of the Junior class have taken out three months' membership in the Y. M. C. A. Preparations are being made to enlarge the building.

### VETERINARY MEDICAL.

Dean Buckingham went to Richmond, Va., last week to attend the semi-annual meeting of the Virginia Veterinary Medical Association. He gave a short address on the infectious diseases of animals prevalent in northern Virginia. He was elected Vice-President of the Association.

The veterinary men are engaged in arrangements for the banquet to be given the last week in this month. They always have as their guests many of the leaders of the profession located with the government in Washington.

Dr. J. E. Belwey, house surgeon of the Veterinary Hospital of the school is temporarily engaged on special work for the government in Illinois in regard to the foot and mouth disease. He reports that many ignorant owners of animals refuse to permit inspection unless forced by the sheriff.

Dr. Nichols of the class of 1913, is employed by the French army service as transport veterinarian and has made several trips to Bordeaux sailing from Norfolk, Va. The demand for veterinarians is much greater than the supply and on several ships M. D.'s are being used in lieu of our men.

### KENNER PRESIDENT SENIOR PHARMICS

Miss Borland Elected Vice-President.

At the recent elections of the Senior Class of the Pharmacy School, the following were the successful candidates:

President—Harry R. Kenner.  
Vice-President—Miss Anna Borland.  
Secretary—Thomas J. Crisp, Jr.  
Treasurer—J. A. Fink.  
Class Editor—Paul W. Vestal.  
Sergeant-at-arms—C. V. Kimball.

It takes four years for a college to turn out a good student. But it frequently turns out a bad student in less than three months.

Lawyer—"I have my opinion of you."  
Citizen—"Well, you can keep it. The last opinion I got from you cost me \$150."

IN THE OPERATING ROOM.  
McCray hands Dr. Bovee a probe.  
Dr. Bovee: "Doctor, don't you see that the head on this probe is broken off?"

## WITH THE GREEKS.

The "Doodle Bug" was in great evidence at a rousing smoker given by Phi Chapter, Phi Chi Medical Fraternity at the chapter house, 1764 E St. on the evening of Feb. 6. The principle event of the evening was the reading of a paper by Carl Lawrence Davis, M. D., Professor of Anatomy, entitled "Development of the Medical Schools of America". Dr. Davis traced the history of the medical school in America from the founding of the Medical School of the University of Pennsylvania in 1765 to the present time, dwelling at length on the great work of the American Medical Association in shutting up many undesirable medical schools and in raising the entrance requirements of the schools of the country. He stated that in 1905 there were 160 medical schools with 28,000 students, in 1914 there were 101 schools with 17,000 students. Dr. William Cline Borden, Dean of the Medical School, Dr. Shepherd D. Franz, Professor of Physiology, and Dr. Frank Leech, President of the District of Columbia Medical Society participated in the discussion. One of the features of the program was a cabaret show participated in by members of the fraternity and outside talent. The Chapter announces the pledging of Dr. Frank Leech.

The Pi Beta Phi Fraternity will hold a tea dance at the Cochran, 14th and K Sts., Saturday, February 13, from 4:30 to 7. The fee will be thirty-five cents and is for the benefit of the University.

Theta Delta Chi held one of the largest House Dances of the season at the Charge house on last Friday evening. The whole ground floor was attractively decorated in the fraternity colors. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Caywood and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. J. Newhouse.

Miss Alice Hurley, Pi Beta Phi from the University of Oklahoma, is registered in Arts and Sciences.

Psi Omega at its meeting of last Saturday night decided to hold a dance on Saturday, March 13, and a committee of arrangements was appointed.

Members, alumni and friends of Sigma Phi Epsilon all enjoyed to the full an informal smoker given by that fraternity last Monday night at its chapter house. Every one of the sixty odd men there was in the best of good spirits and good humor, and there was an abundance of "pep" and smoke from cigars, cigarettes, and corn cob pipes pervaded the atmosphere, but the color had no depressing effect on those present, for the influence was such that, in spite of its being "blue" Monday, a case of blues would have found it impossible to break through the forces of gaiety and jolly good fellowship which held forth in full strength from beginning to end. All joined in the singing of many songs and a quartet composed of musically inclined Sigma Phi Epsilons rendered several harmonious selections. Later on in the evening the crowd was edified by several speeches, some witty and some otherwise, delivered by the fraternity's talent.

Among Sigma Phi Epsilon's guests were a dozen or more members of Iota Sigma, a local fraternity at Maryland Agricultural College.

Jane Stout, May Boteler and Gertrude Fogarty were guests of Sigma Kappa Sorority at luncheon Wednesday, February 10.

### Wise.

"Yes," exclaimed the young man, with a deep drawn sigh. "I've finished my legal education at last!"  
"And now," said the friend, "You'll sit down and wait for clients."  
"Not on your life, I won't!" replied the new attorney. "I've got a job promised me in a dry goods store."  
(Fairview, Okla.) Republican.

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### BREAK EVEN IN

### TWO GAMES

(Continued from page 1)  
ter Herring, G. W. U.; W. E. Norris, C. U. Time of periods—20 minutes each.

### The Loyola Game.

Listless playing accounts for the defeat of the George Washington basketball team at the hands of the quint representing Loyola College of Baltimore on the floor of the Monumental City school last Saturday night. The visitors seemed to be worn out by the two heavy games with Georgetown and Fordham earlier in the week and lacked consistent teamwork and ginger.

Although there were thirty-three fouls called, nineteen of which were chalked against the Buff and Blue goal-tossers, the game was cleanly played and closely contested throughout. The great weakness of the team at center cropped out noticeably and was in large part responsible for the defeat. Johnson, who has been playing most of the season at the midway position, was as if glued to the floor and his passing was of an extremely inferior sort. The entire squad was affected and the teamwork so evident in the Fordham encounter of two nights' previous was displayed in only a few scattered flashes of form.

Loyola evened the count with George Washington by this victory, having suffered a defeat on the George Washington floor by approximately the same margin earlier in the season.

### The summary:

Loyola.	Positions.	G. Wash.
Corcoran	L. F.	Almon
O'Connor	R. F.	Murray
Ulrich	Center	Johnson
Joyce	R. G.	Shaver
Buchness	L. G.	Groesbeck

Substitutions—Quinn for Joyce. Hamner for Shaver, Shaver for Johnson. Goals from floor—Corcoran (3), Ulrich (4), O'Connor (2), Almon (2), Murray, Shaver (2). Goals from fouls—Corcoran, 8 out of 19; Almon, 7 out of 14. Referee—Mr. Hollander, Georgetown. Umpire—Mr. McNemar, George Washington. Scorers—Messrs. Graham and Bryant. Timers—Messrs. Murray and Gore. Time of halves—20 minutes.

### CHEMISTS ORGANIZE.

Former Students Form Association to Boost University.

Old grads in Chemistry got together last Friday evening in the Library of the Medical School and effected a temporary organization with J. Norman Taylor, '13, as chairman, and Morris A. Pozen, '13, as secretary. It was decided to form a permanent organization as soon as possible and a committee was appointed to draw up a constitution and make arrangements for the next meeting which will be held in March. The members of the committee are J. Norman Taylor, chairman, A. S. Thatcher, Ingersoll, Custis, and Elmer Stewart. An invitation to attend the next meeting will be extended to all former students in Chemistry who can be reached.

It is planned to make the organization as flexible as possible. It will cooperate with the General Alumni Association in maintaining interest in the University, with special reference to the department of Chemistry. Another object of the organization is to keep up old acquaintances. A luncheon will be held annually during Commencement Week, when it is hoped to get many of the old boys back to the University. The Association will be ruled by a board of governors.

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